

RESOLUTION NO. 0735-07-09

STATEMENT OF SUPPORT FOR PROJECTS FROM THE CEDAR RAPIDS/LINN COUNTY
COMMUNITY TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE I-JOBS LOCAL INFRASTRUCTURE
COMPETITIVE GRANT PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the I-JOBS Local Infrastructure Competitive Grant program was adopted by the State of Iowa Legislature to provide infrastructure investment funding to mitigate disaster recovery from the Flood of 2008, and to provide for employment while stimulating and promoting long term economic growth, and

WHEREAS, the I-JOBS program will provide \$118.5 million to be distributed in competitive grants available for reconstruction of local public buildings and flood control prevention in communities from devastation of the Flood of 2008 throughout the state of Iowa, and the Cedar Rapids/Linn County community will be submitting 23 (twenty-three) competitive grant applications for projects to the I-JOBS Grant Program, including:

- Linn County – Administrative Office – Rebuild and Energy Efficiency
- Linn County – Juvenile Law Center
- City of Cedar Rapids – Reconstruction of Public Parking Ramps
- City of Cedar Rapids – Parking Access Revenue Control System (PARCS)
- City of Cedar Rapids – Downtown Parking Structure
- City of Cedar Rapids – 3rd Street S.E. Streetscape Improvements
- City of Cedar Rapids – Intermodal Transportation Facility (ITF)
- City of Cedar Rapids – Anaerobic Biogas System Improvements
- City of Cedar Rapids – Edgewood Road Reconstruction at Cedar River
- City of Cedar Rapids – 6th Street SW Reconstruction
- City of Cedar Rapids – Highway 100
- City of Cedar Rapids – US Cellular Center Improvements & Events Center Construction
- City of Cedar Rapids – Acquisition of Flood-Blighted Downtown Properties
- City of Cedar Rapids – Façade of Improvement Incentive Program (F.A.C.E.)
- City of Cedar Rapids – Multigenerational Community Life Center – PLAY
- City of Cedar Rapids – Joint Communications Network
- City of Cedar Rapids – Cedar Rapids Public Library Main Facility
- City of Cedar Rapids – Demolition and remediation of the buildings located on the 1100 block of 3rd St S.E. (formerly Quality Chef)
- Cedar Rapids Area Chamber of Commerce – Economic Commerce Center
- African American Heritage Foundation of Iowa – African American Museum
- Legion Arts – Restoration of CSPA Hall
- Junior Achievement of Eastern Iowa – JA World
- Indian Creek Nature Center – From Flood to Flowers – Crafting a LEED Nature Center Headquarters in the Beauty of Prairie Flowers

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA that the above noted projects are hereby endorsed, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA that submission of applications for the City of Cedar Rapids for the above noted projects are hereby authorized.

Passed this 22nd day of July, 2009.

Voting: Council member Podzimek moved the adoption of the resolution; seconded by Council member Wieneke. Adopted, Ayes, Council members Fagan, Gulick, McGrane, Podzimek, Shey, Shields, Vernon, Wieneke and Mayor Halloran.

Attest:

Kay Halloran, Mayor

Ann Ollinger, City Clerk